

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 489

By Herron

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Diamond Kodi Beck,
2007 Salutatorian of Riverside High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Diamond Kodi Beck is one such exceptional student who was recently named salutatorian of the 2007 graduating class at Riverside High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Diamond Beck has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Ms. Beck has earned an exemplary grade point average and been named to the National Honor Roll and to the Most Distinguished Students Among American High Schools; and

WHEREAS, active in numerous school clubs and organizations at Riverside High, Diamond Beck is a cheerleader and a member of Beta Club, HOSA, FCCLA, Culture Club, Science Club, French Club, Mu Alpha Theta, Journalism, and Student Government in addition to serving as Yearbook Editor; and

WHEREAS, Diamond's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success as she continues her education at the University of Tennessee at Martin; and

WHEREAS, Diamond Beck's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Donna Loper and Johnny Beck, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Diamond Beck's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2007 Riverside High School Salutatorian, Diamond Kodi Beck, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.